

# Newsletter

Bangladesh Embassy Tokyo

July 2023

## **H.E. Ambassador Shahabuddin Ahmed attended the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Japan-Bangladesh Society (JBS)**

H.E. Ambassador Mr. Shahabuddin Ahmed attended the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Japan-Bangladesh Society (JBS), on 01 July 2023. This is the 10<sup>th</sup> AGM since the Association was formed in 2014. Ambassador (Rtd) Masato Watanabe, as the President of JBS, welcomed and inaugurated the event followed by remarks from Ambassador Shahabuddin Ahmed and Mr. Teruo Asada, Honorary Chairman of JBS. Ambassador Shahabuddin, in his remarks, underlined the role of JBS over the years for their invaluable contribution and support in strengthening bilateral relations between Bangladesh and Japan and thanked

them. He also said that after the two countries elevated their relations to a "Strategic Partnership" during the official visit of the Hon'ble Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina on 25-28 April 2023, they need to embark on a new path of peace and progress following the strong commitments shown by our leadership. Deputy Chief of Mission Mr. Shah Asif Rahman accompanied the Ambassador at the AGM. Among others, Director Mr. TSUTSUMI Taro and Assistant Director, Ms. Uno Anri of the Southwest Asia Division of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan and all Advisors, Board of Directors and general members of JBS also attended.



*H.E. Ambassador Shahabuddin Ahmed attended the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Japan-Bangladesh Society (JBS)*

## **A delegation of Biman Bangladesh Airlines Ltd. paid a courtesy visit to Bangladesh Embassy, Tokyo**

A delegation of Biman Bangladesh Airlines Ltd. and Biman's appointed GSA company in Japan, Western Associates Inc. paid a courtesy visit to H.E. Ambassador Mr. Shahabuddin Ahmed today on 19th July 2023. They

briefed about the progress of the resumption of Biman's Dhaka- Tokyo-Dhaka flight. H.E. Ambassador assured all possible support in this regard. Embassy officials were present at the meeting.

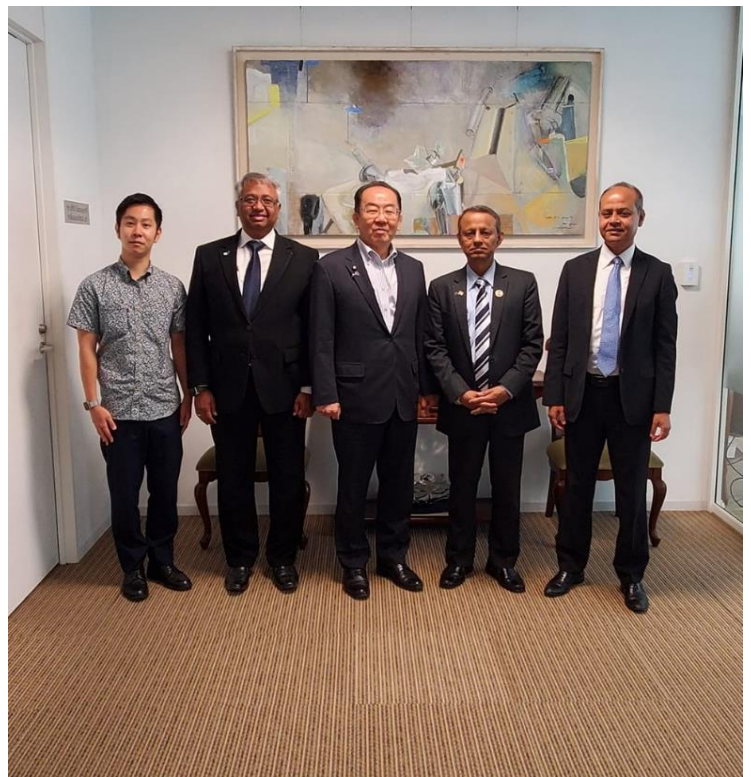


*Delegation of Biman Bangladesh Airlines Ltd. and Western Associates Inc. paid a courtesy visit*

### **Mr. NISHIME Kosaburo, Member of the House of Representatives visited Bangladesh Embassy, Tokyo**

Mr. NISHIME Kosaburo, Member of the House of Representatives from Okinawa and Acting Director General, International Bureau, Liberal Democratic Party (LDP) visited the Embassy on 26 July 2023 to have a courtesy call on with H.E. Ambassador Mr. Shahabuddin Ahmed. They discussed the prevailing excellent bilateral relations after the official visit of the Hon'ble Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina to Japan in April 2023. The Hon'ble Speaker of Bangladesh Parliament

also visited Japan in May, 2023 which further enhanced parliamentary cooperation. Mr. NISHIME invited Ambassador to visit LDP office at a mutually suitable time. Ambassador gifted the Japanese translation of Bangabandhu's "Unfinished Memoire" to Mr. NISHIME. From the Embassy, Mr. Shah Asif Rahman, Deputy Chief of Mission and Mr. Sheikh Farid, Minister & Head of Chancery also attended the meeting.



*Mr. NISHIME Kosaburo, Member of the House of Representatives from Okinawa and Acting Director General, International Bureau, Liberal Democratic Party (LDP) visited the Embassy*

Published by Bangladesh Embassy, Tokyo  
3-29, Kioicho, Chiyoda-ku  
Tokyo 102-0094, Japan  
Email: [bdembassy.tokyo@mofa.gov.bd](mailto:bdembassy.tokyo@mofa.gov.bd)